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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of	:	Customer No.
SANADA et al.	:	26817
Serial No. 10/796,254	:	Group Art Unit: 1621
Filed: March 9, 2004	:	Examiner: Paul A. ZUCKER
Title: METHOD FOR MANAGING	:	Confirmation No. 2390
OPERATION OF GAS PHASE REACTION	:	
APPARATUS	:	

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Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated August 22, 2005 please amend the above-identified application as follows: